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PESTICIDES FROM COW URINE AND DUNG
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is implementing any scheme for commercial use of cow dung and urine to make biomanure and fertilizer;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has a proposal to establish industries based on cow urine and dung to make bio manure/ fertilizer;

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(e) the details of the industries based on cow progeny urine and dung set up in the State of Madhya Pradesh; and

(f) the details of the financial assistance provided by the Government to various States in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KUNDARIA)

(a) to (f): No such scheme for commercial use of cow dung and urine to make bio-manure and fertilizer is being implemented by the Government. However, the Ministry of New & Renewable Energy is implementing a scheme namely, National Biogas and Manure Management Programme (NBMMP) using cow dung, kitchen waste material including human night soil etc., as mix feed to produce Biogas for cooking gas and organic enriched bio manure through the implementing Agencies such as State Nodal Departments/ State Nodal Agencies and Khadi & Village Industries Commission and Biogas Development and Training Centers (BDTCs).